

**MEME15203 Statistical Inference****Assignment 3****UNIVERSITI TUNKU ABDUL RAHMAN**

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- Q1. Consider a random sample of size  $n$  from a two-parameter exponential distribution,  $X_i \sim EXP(1, \eta)$ .
- Show that  $T(X) = X_{1:n}$  is complete and sufficient for  $\eta$ . (5 marks)
  - Find the UMVUE of  $\eta$ . (5 marks)
  - Find the UMVUE of  $\eta^2$ . (5 marks)
  - Use Basu's Theorem to show that  $X_{1:n}$  and  $S^2 = \frac{\sum (X_i - \bar{X})^2}{n-1}$  are independent. (5 marks)
- Q2. Suppose that  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  is a random sample from a Negative Binomial distribution,  $X_i \sim NB(r = 6, \theta)$ ,
- Show that the p.d.f. of  $X$  belongs to the regular exponential family. (5 marks)
  - Based on the answer in (a), find a complete and sufficient statistic for  $\theta$ . (5 marks)
  - Find the UMVUE of  $\left[ \frac{4\theta}{1-4(1-\theta)} \right]^{6n}$ . (5 marks)
- Q3. Consider a random sample of size  $n$  from a gamma distribution  $X_i \sim GAM(\alpha, \theta)$  and let  $\bar{X} = (1/n) \sum X_i$  and  $\tilde{X} = (\prod X_i)^{1/n}$  be the sample mean and geometric mean respectively.
- Show that  $\bar{X}$  and  $\tilde{X}$  are jointly complete and sufficient for  $\theta$  and  $\alpha$ .
  - Find the UMVUE of  $\mu = \alpha\theta$ . (5 marks)
  - Find the UMVUE of  $\mu^n$ . (5 marks)
  - Show that the distribution of  $T = \frac{\tilde{X}}{\bar{X}}$  does not depend on  $\theta$ . (5 marks)
  - Show that  $\bar{X}$  and  $T$  are stochastically independent random variables. (5 marks)
- Q4. Suppose that  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  is a random sample from a Poisson distribution,  $X_i \sim POI(\theta)$ . Find the UMVUE of  $P(X = 0 \text{ or } 2) = (1 + \frac{1}{2}\theta^2)e^{-\theta}$  using Rao-Blackwell theorem. (15 marks)
- Q5. Let  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample from a Bernoulli distribution,  $X_i \sim Bin(1, p)$ ;  $0 < p < 1$ . Find the UMVUE of  $p^2$ . (10 marks)

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Q6. Show that  $X \sim N(0, \theta)$  is not a complete family. (5 marks)

Q7. Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be random sample of size  $n$  from a Gamma distribution with probability density function

$$\frac{1}{\theta^2} x e^{-x/\theta}, x > 0$$

zero otherwise. Find the UMVUE of  $\gamma = P(X > t)$  using Rao-Blackwell theorem.

(15 marks)